. THE RECEMBER PLANET RECEMBER, TROUBLE.



SATURDAY DEC 29 1900. FACTS ABOUT OUR SCHOOLS.

The highest wages to women teachers are paid in California and the District of Columbia, an average of \$64 a month.

The average salaries paid schooleachers in the entire United States In 1899 was \$45.25 a month for men and \$38.14 a month for women.

There are 16,738,362 children and young men and women being educated in the schools and colleges of the United States-1,503,921 in private institutions.

In 1899 the people of the United States spent \$197,281,603 to educate their children, which is \$2.67 per capita of population and \$3,20 per capita of children of the school age.

There are 244,527 schoolhouses, dormitories and other buildings in the United States devoted to education, and they are valued at \$524,689,255. There are 415,660 teachers-131,793 men and 283,867 women.

In Illinois the average for men was \$60.42 and women \$53.27; in Indiana, \$48 for men and \$43 for women; in Michigan, \$44 for men and \$35 for women, and in Wisconsin, \$41 and \$29. Wisconsin pays her schoolma'ams less than my other of the states.

The average paid to men teachers in Massachusetts in 1899 was \$136.23 a month; in Rhode Island, \$103.74; in Nevada, \$101 a month. Schoolma'ams do not fare so well in those states, their pay in Massachusetts averaging \$51.41; in Rhode Island, \$51, and in Nevada, \$61.50.

NOTES OF UNION LABOR.

San Francisco printers are jubilant wer the establishment of the ninehour day in that city. The laundry workers at Savannah,

Ga., have organized the first union of their calling in that state.

The national secretary of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners, in his last report, shows a eash balance of \$1,044,605.

Every German paper except one in the United States is under the jurisdiction of the German-American Typographical union.

Fifty new unions and 37 new branches have been organized during the last 17 months by the United Brewery Workmen's union. Of members of nearly 800 labor or-

ganizations in France between seven and ten per cent, are out of work, and at present over 20,000 persons are either striking or are locked out over labor differences.

The Atlanta Federation of Trades has presented the Universalist church of that city with a memorial window in recognition of the stand taken by that congregation in favor of union labor during the carpenters' strike in

Reports of the bureau of labor statistics of New York for the last quarter show that active organization work continues, and that a gain of 15,000, embracing 151 unions, was made to the membership in that period. New York state now has 1,603 labor organizations, with an aggregate membership of 247,602.

THE WHEELS OF TRAFFIC.

Two thousand tons of American

steel rails are being sent to Italy for use on the railways. Out of nearly 30,000 pressed steel cars there has never been one which

has been wrecked beyond repair. The English staff system of dis-

patching trains has been put in force upon the single bridge now being used by all the lines entering Galveston, Tex., in order to expedite the The Chicago & Northwestern rail-

way, in order to enter Peoria, Ill., from Sterling, purchased the village of Pottstown entire, and will move every house in order to occupy the site of the town with yard tracks.

Thirty new freight engines are to be put on the tracks of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad next March. The engines will differ from the average freight train puller in having wider and shorter fireboxes. The weight of each engine on its drivers will be 120,000 pounds.

Paul Storitzky, of the Moscow locomotive works, who is making an inspection of locomotive works in this country, says: "There are six or eight locomotive factories in Russia, one of the largest being located at Kolomna, not far from Moscow. I am satisfied, however, that for all general purposes the machines made in this country are superior for the Russian

CASUAL OBSERVATIONS.

(From Mr. Dooley's Philosophy, Copyright by R. H. Russell, New York.) If ye live enough byfure 30 ye won't care to live at all afther 50.

To most people a savage nation is wan that doesn't wear oncomf'rtable

As Shakespeare says, be thrue to ye'erself an' ye will thin be false to ivry All th' wurruld loves a lover-excipt

tometimes th' wan that's all th' wurruld to him If ye dhrink befure sivin ye'll cry be-

Ivry man has his superstitions. If I ook at a new moon over me shoulder

I get a crick in me neck. Dhressmakers' bills sinds women into athrachoor an' men into an early de-

All men are br-rave in comp'ny an' sow'rds alone, but some shows it clearer thin others.



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with all their undertakings, while those who neglect his advice are still laboring against poverty. Through his perfect knowledge of chemistry, he can impart to you a secret that will overcome your enemies and win your friends. His aid and advice has often beer solicited; the result has always been the securing of speedy and happy marriages and all your wisbes. In love affairs he never tails. He has the weeret of winning the affections of the posite sex it is the cursof spiritualism that in all large cities there are a class of men and wemen who claim powers they do not possess. They have neither gifts, oredentials nor references. Surely the colored people are n so wahting in sense as to throw their time and money away on such Dr. The refers to the Hon William Denmore Tehters and onlider, 4: Cleveland Tyee, and Arther sewell. Into builder, Touth Tooklyn at ave knewn hiss for the past seven years. He gives tree test of his power to ail. The doctor har racticed five years in New Orleans, St. Loi is, Memphis and Louisvie; understand thoroughly the diseases, wells or influence the race is subject to. He is now and alway had a large ratronag from them. RICH, HAPPY AND SUCCESSFUL.

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING: Brocklyn. Aug. 15, 1891 — This is to certify that came to New York from Albany. I was a stranger in a strange city, out of work an out of money. I had no luck in anythin, i undertook, what to do I did not know friend advised me to go and from the New friend advised me to go and from the took me in and treated me as a brother through him I got a good position that ver week. I had been to others: they took me money and did me no good. I bless the day if first met Dr. Shea, I would advise all the bad luck, sick or in trouble to go to him a once, G. Sincerely,

once, 6 Sincerely.

ALBERT AYERS, 2257 Atlantic Ave South Plainfield, Aug. 15, 1821.—This is to certify that my husband had gone away and been absent two years. I mourned for him nights and day. I gave him up as dead.

Hearing of the wonderful things Dr. Sheewas doing, I resolved to consult him. He told me my husband was alive and well and where he was; told me he would come homend when. To my joy all of it came wrue. He is home now, come back like one from the dead. I also wish to say that this month lost the sum of \$250. I am a poor womar and I was most insane I went to Dr. Sheewas do my intense joy I did find it as he told me I thank God there is a man so gifted in our midst that can help people and tell then what to do.

MRS. MARY MILLER,

MRS. MARY MILLER, A SENSATION IN BROOKLYN-A MINIS

TER'S STATEMENT. I wish to state that one of my parishoner was sick and in tropble for a long time, Mrs Brown, 37 Gay Street. No one seemed to up was sick and in trouble for a long time, Mrs srown, 37 Gay Street. No one seemed to un derstand her case. She had several doctors but none of them seemed to know what was the matter. None could do her any good. It was my duty as her pastor to call and see her. Hearing of the wonderful work being done by Dr. Shea the last few years. I though I would call and see him myself. I found him a kind sympathetic gentleman. He gave me a wonderful test of his powers fold me to send him a lock of patient he'd by her daughter. He toid attonce what we have and well Hor family had seeming, deer a cloud Now all is changed. In are well and prosperous. I can cruly and heartily recommend Dr Shea to all those in sickness or duters of any kind, Rev. William Johnsot Pastor Lebahon Church, Brooklyn.

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YS IDA NOEL The object of this suit is to obtain

a diverce avincule matrimonii by the plaintiff from the defendant. An affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is a non resi-dent of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that she appear here within 15 days after due publication hereof and de whatever may be necessary to proeet her interest herein.

A copy, Teste:
P. P. Winston, Clerk.
N. J. Lawis, p. q.

Take notice that on the 18th day of STEAM es, No. 609 E. Marshall Mr. in the city of Richmond, Va., I shall proceed to take depositions of William Brown and others, to be read as evidence on my brhaif in a certain suit in Chancery proceedings in the Law and Equity Court of the city of Richmond; wheren I am the plaintiff and you are the

efendant. If from any cause the taking of said depositions be not comm need, or con-cluded on the day named, or if comnenced be not concluded the taking of the same shall be continued at the same place and between the same shall have been completed
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By Counsel, No 128 18th St, Coc G: 123. N. J. LEWIS, p. q.

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